

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Yamagishi

Serial No.: to be assigned

Filing Date: October 29, 2003

For: Copper-based Alloy Excellent in Dezincing Resistance

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the fees and issuance the first official action, please amend the above-captioned application as follows: